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APPARATUS, DATA ACQUISITION  
METHOD, PRINT SUPPORT METHOD,  
PRINT SUPPORT SYSTEM,  
PORTABLE COMMUNICATION  
TERMINAL, AND PRINTING METHOD

Art Unit : 2624

Examiner : Peter K. Huntsinger

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No. 06-1378. In addition,  
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